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October 22, 2002

Re: Final Notice for Payment of Year 2002 Permit Fees, Minerals Regulatory Program

Dear Permittee:

Our records indicate we have not received your 2002 annual permit fee payment. The enclosed *Delinquency Notice* is your third and **final** reminder from this office that your fee payment is overdue. On June 27, 2002, we sent out the first billing notice, then on September 4, 2002, a second delinquency notice was sent to you regarding the collection of annual permit fees by this Division. All past due permit fees not received by November 29, 2002 will be turned over to the Utah Office of Debt Collection (ODC) for further action.

The Utah Mined Land Reclamation Rules R647-2-102, R647-3-102 and R647-4-102 state that: "... failure by the operator to pay permit fees required by .. (rule) will suspend an operator's authorization to conduct .. (exploration/mining) operations ... " Therefore, in addition to referral to the ODC, your authorization to continue mining and/or exploration related activities will be suspended if you fail to meet the November 30, 2002 deadline. The Division may also pursue formal permit revocation proceedings before the Board of Oil, Gas and Mining if the required fees are not paid. Permit revocation would terminate your permit and require immediate reclamation of all mining related surface disturbances at the site.

If you have questions or concerns with this notice, or believe you have been billed in error, please contact me at (801) 538-5306, Wayne Hedberg, Permit Supervisor at (801) 538-5286, or Joelle Burns, Engineering Technician at (801) 538-5291. Thank you for your immediate attention and your cooperation in this regard. If you have already submitted your 2002 fee payment, please disregard this notice.

Sincerely,

Mary Ann Wright

Associate Director, Mining

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GOLDEN EMPIRE LTD 4606 S MEMORIAL TULSA OK 74145

ATTENTION: JAMES W. GODDARD

DELINQUENCY NOTICE Annual Permit Fees (July 2002 thru June 2003) PROJECT NAME PROJECT ID ACRES BILLING DATE GOLDEN EMPIRE #1 \$370097 NA 06/27/2002 PERMIT TYPE PROJECT STATUS SMALL MINING OPERATION < 5 ACRES</td> INACTIVE \$ 150

DUE DATE	AMOUNT DUE
11/29/2002	\$ 150

Please see enclosed instructions for payment.

Please retain this portion for your records. For billing Information call (801) 538-5291

This portion MUST be returned with your payment to ensure proper credit. THANK YOU

ACCOUNT BILLED	GOLDEN EMPIRE #1		PROJECT ID
GOLDEN EMPIRE LTD			\$370097
DUE DATE ANNUAL FEE AMOUNT DUE \$ 150 TAX ID OR SOCIAL SECURITY #	Permittee requests an inspection to close out this permit.	Change of Ad Contact Address	ddress
DIVISION OF OIL GAS AND MINING 1594 WEST NORTH TEMPLE SUITE 1210 PO BOX 145801 SALT LAKE CITY UT 84114-5801		State Zip Phone	